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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) 03485.0003.NPUS00
In re Application of STRAAT		
Application Number 10/065,048	Filed 09/13/2002	
For STAPLE-FORMER IN A STAPLER		
Group Art Unit 3721	Examiner TRAN, Louis B.	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.

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